

## WEATHER FORECAST

Fair tonight and Wednesday, except  
rain tonight northeast portion.

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## MAY CUT OFF THE ARMY OF MACKENZEN

### Daring Strategy Displayed by Roumanians in Dash Across the Danube

#### IN GALICIA, RUSSIANS RESUME THEIR GIGANTIC OFFENSIVE--SERBS AND BRITISH IN MACEDONIA ARE WINNING SUCCESS

(Associated Press)

London, Oct. 3.—Rumania's stroke in throwing a force across the Danube into Bulgarian is the outstanding feature of current war news. Should this army prove of formidable size it will constitute a serious menace to Field Marshal Von Mackenzon's left wing and might easily force his retirement from the present front south of the Constanza and Tchernavoda railway. MacKenzen army is already being subjected to heavy pressure and an unofficial dispatch from Rome received in London said the German commander had ordered the evacuation of Silistria and Turtukai, which were only recently captured.

The Rumanians invading Bulgaria numbered several battalions, according to an announcement from the Bulgarian war office.

SERBS AND BRITISH WERE SUCCESSFUL

Sofia has admitted that the Bulgarians retreated near Kaimakalan height on account of the heavy Serbian artillery fire. It is claimed, however, that the entente forces were driven back in the Struma district and the Russian attacks in Dobrudja were repulsed.

Paris, on the other hand, announces advances near Kaimakalan and declares the British repulsed Bulgarian attacks along the Struma.

COULDN'T TEAR THE CURTAIN

Violent fighting on the Somme front is recorded by the French war office. Paris announced this morning that the French curtain of fire and machine guns checked the German attempt to advance from St. Pierre and Vaast wood.

BRITISH LOST AN AIR BOAT

British naval aeroplanes yesterday made another attack on German airship sheds in the vicinity of Brussels. According to an official announcement one British aeroplane was lost.

FIGHTING INCREASED ON THE EASTERN FRONT

Petrograd, Oct. 3.—The Germans have taken the offensive south of Dvinsk near Novo Alexandrovsk, the war office announced, but were driven back. West of Lutske the Russians advanced in stubborn fighting, the statement said. In the Zlota Lipa district and other sectors of the Galician front desperate fighting continues.

The Russians took more than a thousand prisoners on one sector yesterday. The total number of prisoners taken in the Ceniuvka region since last Friday is reported at more than 5,000.

A DAMAGING ADMISSION

London, Oct. 3.—The Germans admit their retreat before the Rumanians in Transylvania.

BATTERED DOWN THE BRIDGES

Berlin gives out the announcement that Austrian and German monitors have destroyed the pontoon bridges the Rumanians invading Bulgaria.

CHARRED BODIES OF ZEP CREW

Except part of the envelope, there is left hardly a vestige of the Zeppelin which was brought down Sunday night near Potter's Bar. The Zeppelin burned more fiercely than the one previously destroyed, which, like her, fell in an open field.

The members of the crew were incinerated and the bodies scattered over the field some eighty yards from a farmer's cottage.

The Zeppelin appeared to remain almost stationary for three minutes after the envelope burst in flames. The tongues of fire seemed to lick along the bag until it was all ablaze. Even then it dropped so slowly that many persons who had not awakened until after the cheering aroused them,

## HE DEPLORES HATE

### Viscount Bryce Wants Spirit of Peace to Return to England with Victory

(Associated Press)

Birmingham, England, Oct. 3.—Viscount Bryce, former ambassador to the United States, in addressing the Congressional Union here today, deplored the spirit of hate against Germans that is manifest. He advocated a league to compel arbitration. He declared the statements of Wilson and Hughes pledging the co-operation of the United States to such a project was of great importance.

## WARM WELCOME

### Will be Given Old Confederates of Florida by the People of Tampa

(Special to the Star)

Tampa, Oct. 3.—Tampans are making elaborate preparations for the entertainment of Confederate veterans of Florida, who will hold their annual reunion in the city October 17 to 19, inclusive, and a large attendance of veterans, sons and daughters of veterans and visitors generally is expected. The railroad rate offered for the round trip from all sections of the state is one fare plus 25 cents, with a liberal time limit.

This will be one of the last reunions held by the veterans, many of whom have grown too old to attend, by reason of which Tampa invites all lovers of the "lost cause" to join in paying them tribute. Union veterans also will participate in the reunion, a feature of which will be a "Blue and Gray" barbecue.

reached their windows in time to see it come down.

Neither the airship which was destroyed nor the second one which attacked London, penetrated the outer defenses. Little or no damage was done by either or by the eight others which operated over eastern counties.

RUSSIANS INVADE BULGARIA

The Rumanians crossed the Danube river between the fortified towns of Rustchuk and Turtukai. The strategic value of the movement is two fold. Ninety miles east of Turtukai, which lies at the western end of Southern Dobrudja, is Varna, Bulgaria's chief Black Sea port. If sufficient men have crossed the river they will not only be a menace to Varna but will threaten the isolation of the German, Bulgarian and Turkish forces operating against the Rumanians in the Dobrudja.

Bucharest also announces that the first attacks along the entire Dobrudja front have resulted in the defeat of the center and right flank of the Teutonic troops. In central Transylvania the Rumanians are also advancing.

SARAH LEE TOWNSEND

Sarah Lee Townsend, the little 16-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Townsend, of Martin, died at the hospital here this morning. The funeral services will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at Greenwood cemetery. Rev. Bunyan Stephens will conduct the services. Mr. and Mrs. Townsend have the deepest sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their little daughter.

## CARRANZA SEIZED THE COIN

### British and French Protest to United States at Mexicans Closing Their Banks

(Associated Press)

Washington, Oct. 3.—The British and French embassies have protested strongly to the state department against the action of the Carranza government of Mexico in seizing the assets of the British and French banking institutions in Mexico City. The banks were closed as the result of Carranza's decree.

## ATTACKED TRAINS ON THE ELEVATED

### Strikers Followed Announcement of Withdrawal of Guards with Pistol Shots

(Associated Press)

New York, Oct. 3.—The police guards were withdrawn from the subway lines today. The department believed there was little danger of violence. Similar action will be taken regarding the elevated as soon as a few bands which have been bombarding the trains from roofs are dispersed, it was announced. Soon after the announcement of removing the guards was made, three trains, including an express, were attacked. One man was wounded by a pistol shot.

LOCAL LEGISLATION

### Council Meets Early This Evening to Grapple with Some Large Problems

Council will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock, instead of at 8 o'clock, and the earlier hour will be in effect for the winter months, President Nash announced today. The recent recommendations of the state board of health with regard to the Imhoff tanks of the sewerage system will be considered tonight. The health board recommends treatment beds for the effluent of the Imhoff tanks. This is for the purpose of killing all possible germs before the effluent is allowed to go into the wells driven for carrying it off.

MEETING OF VETERANS

Marion Camp No. 56, U. C. V., met October 3rd, 1916 with Commander W. E. McGahagin in the chair. Prayer by W. E. Martin.

The following comrades answered to roll call: Alfred Ayer, J. L. Beck, J. F. Barron, M. P. W. Christian, J. M. Badger, R. L. Carlton, B. J. Freymuth, H. N. Knoblock, W. E. Martin, W. E. McGahagin, J. C. Mathews, J. T. Mattan, J. W. Nance, B. H. Norris, C. C. Priest, Wm. Richardson, G. P. Stevens, H. R. Shaw, Joe Shuford, C. C. Stevens, J. S. Weathers, A. McIntosh, J. L. Hinton, F. E. Harris. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The following delegates to the Tampa reunion were elected: W. E. McGahagin, J. F. Barron, J. C. Mathews, D. H. Irvin, B. H. Norris. Alternates: H. R. Shaw, J. L. Beck, B. J. Freymuth, W. E. Martin, J. L. Hinton, C. C. Priest.

After a social chat the camp adjourned. Alfred Ayer, Adj.

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## MILK CAUSES A SMALL WAR AROUND MANHATTAN

### PITCHED BATTLES FOUGHT TO SUPPLY THE CITY AT GREATLY INCREASED PRICES

(Associated Press)

New York, Oct. 3.—Farmers tightened their grip on the city's milk supply today. They are holding back to compel the distributors to pay higher prices. The distributors claimed that sixty per cent of the normal supply was received, but a farmers representative said not more than 25 per cent was received. Reports from all parts of the state tell of thousands of gallons being spilled in combats between dairy men and employees. The distributors, it is said, have picketed the roads and farmers are held up and beaten.

### BOYS IN KHAKI OFF TO THE BORDER

#### With Heavy Pockets and Light Hearts, the Florida Soldiers are on Their Way

Jacksonville, Oct. 3.—Fifty-five officers and 1,080 seasoned national guardsmen, comprising the Second Florida Infantry, Col. A. H. Blanding, commanding, are on their way to Laredo, Texas.

Responding to the president's memorable call of June 18, the regiment had been in mobilization camp here since June 22, and it was a happy bunch of soldiers on the troop train when they began to get away at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The regiment is traveling in four sections, thirty Pullmans, twelve box cars and thirty baggage cars being necessary to move the command and its equipment. The men are traveling in tourist sleepers and their well prepared hot meals are being served from kitchen cars. The regiment is due in Laredo, some time Thursday.

The men were paid off before they left and don't intend to spend much money until they see the Rio Grande.

USEFUL INFORMATION

### For All Who Want to Send Mail to the Soldier Boys on the Frontier

Hdq. 2nd Fla. Regt., Oct. 2, 1916. Editor Star: Will you kindly publish the following information for those desiring to communicate with members of the Second Florida Infantry. All mail should be addressed to ———, Co. —, Second Florida Infantry, Laredo, Texas. Regiment leaves today. Officers and men in good health and spirits. Everyone requested to send me magazines and papers. I will see that proper distribution is made. Reading matter will be much appreciated. Respectfully, Lucien A. Spencer, Chaplain Second Florida Infantry. Laredo, Texas.

EVERYBODY MUST FIGHT THE BOLL WEEVIL

Indications point to a large acreage of cotton next year. This will be induced by the prospect of high prices. However, the increased acreage will avail little if something is not done to control the boll weevil. Experience has demonstrated again and again that the boll weevils will destroy a large proportion of the crop the second year after they enter new territory. By the third year the damage reaches disastrous proportions.

According to E. S. Pace, district agent for the University of Florida Extension Division, the spread of the insect and the damage from it may be greatly curtailed by the destruction of cotton stalks early in the fall.

This procedure will not be so effective for a single farmer, but a number of farmers can do good work by co-operating. It would be advisable to obtain action from all farmers in a neighborhood. If the stalks are destroyed during the first days of October it is probable that the damage next year would be greatly lessened. The crop is infested each year from the weevils that live over winter. Those weevils depend on the stalks that are left standing after the crop is picked for food until frost. If this food is destroyed, only a small percentage of the adults will live till frost when they go into winter quarters.

We do not charge you credit prices, for we sell for cash only. Bring your pocket or check book. Little's Shoe Parlor. 27-1f

## BASEBALL BATTLE BEGINS IN BOSTON

### Saturday Afternoon Will See the First Game of this Season's World's Series

(Associated Press)

New York, Oct. 3.—The first game of the world's series will be played in Boston on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 7th, it was announced this afternoon.

### FIRST GAME ON BRAVES' FIELD

New York, Oct. 3.—It appears certain now that the opening games of the world's series will be played at the Braves' field on October 6th and 7th. The National League owners are considering the suggestion of dispensing with the formality of tossing a coin for the privilege of staging the first contests, and awarding the games to the Boston Americans. Neither Brooklyn nor Philadelphia are yet justified in installing additional stands. The Red Sox will use the Braves' field as it is larger than their own.

### INTEND TO SPEAK IN OCALA

#### Republican Senatorial and State Candidates will be Here Next Monday Evening

The state republican campaign managers have arranged to hold a public speaking in Ocala on next Monday evening at the band stand on the court house square. It is the present intention of the committee on arrangements to have as speakers on this occasion the following: George W. Allen of Key West, for governor; W. R. O'Neal, of Orlando, for United States senator; W. M. Gober, of Ocala, for congressman; J. M. Cheney, of Orlando, for justice of the state supreme court. All of these gentlemen are noted for their ability as orators and no doubt will draw a large crowd to hear their arguments on Monday evening.

MARION COUNTY

### EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

The first meeting of the present school year of the county educational association will be held in the study hall of the Ocala high school Saturday, October 7, at 10:30 a. m. All teachers of the county and others who may be interested are cordially invited and urged to attend. The principal topic of discussion will be the educational exhibit to be made at the Marion County Fair.

The following program has been arranged: Song by the association. Invocation by Rev. J. R. Herndon. Reading by Mrs. Allie Van Davis. Election of officers. Piano solo by Miss Pauline Magness.

Discussion of the educational exhibit at the Marion County Fair by Supt. J. H. Brinson. Address by Rev. J. R. Herndon. Refreshments will be served in the domestic science room of the high school after the exercises.

These meetings have been of much interest and benefit to the teachers and friends of education in the past years and particularly last year. This is our cleaning house of educational thought and inspiration. Last year we were invited to various parts of the county and we had splendid meetings at several places and brought together many who would not otherwise have been with us and this year we shall be glad to entertain invitations from the various communities of the county to hold our meetings with them.

We are looking forward confidently to a most successful school year. Very respectfully yours, J. H. Brinson, Supt.

Easter Lily Bulbs 75 cents per dozen at Biting & company, the druggist and seedsmen. 9-12

## PROVISIONS' GREAT INCREASE IN PRICE

### Twelve Months' Raise in Cost is Tremendous

#### MEAT AND BREAD, IF THEY GO MUCH HIGHER, WILL BE WORTH THEIR WEIGHT IN MONEY

(Associated Press)

Washington, Oct. 3.—Marked increases in living cost are shown in the rising tendency of prices on Oct. 1st, the department of agriculture reports, from the principal markets. The prices paid meat producers are nearly 24 per cent higher than a year ago. Butter, eggs and cheese are higher; beans have increased nearly 70 per cent; onions are 50 per cent higher; cabbages, 40 per cent. Potatoes have increased in price 116 per cent.

## GOOD BUSINESS

### Throughout the Country Reports the Federal Reserve Board

(Associated Press)

Washington, Oct. 3.—All federal reserve districts report business conditions throughout the country as good, the Federal Reserve Board announced this afternoon.

### PRIZES FOR THE CANNING CLUB GIRLS

To All Canning Club Girls: We are interested in what records you have made on your one-tenth acre plot. If you have been troubled by drought or rain and storm, do not be discouraged, but send in a record. No matter how small the yield, we want a well kept record. We hope you have made a profit.

The Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce makes the following offer for their fair to be held in December:

To the canning club girls who send in the best exhibit of canned fruits, preserves, jellies, vinegars and canned vegetables, \$75.

To the canning club girls who send in the second best exhibit of canned fruits, preserves, jellies, vinegars and canned vegetables, \$25.

To the county sending the best exhibit from not less than ten girls, \$100. To the county sending the second best exhibit from not less than ten girls, \$25.

Some girl will get that \$75, and it is only the girls who try, who ever win. Now is the time to prepare for this exhibit. We can safely promise to sell all of your products at a reasonable price, if they are of excellent quality.

You know Mrs. Okle Painter Williams' offer of a gold watch to the first prize winner in each county. Mrs. Williams has given fifty-one girls gold watches. No girl who wins one is eligible for a watch the second year. No girl is eligible for the state prize of \$100, who has an irrigation plant on her plot. This college is going to present certificates to those girls who have been club members of good standing for four years. There are not many to receive these certificates this year, but we hope many of you who are club members will continue in the work long enough to receive certificates.

We are happy that more Florida girls are joining every year, and that you are working hard to save the surplus fruits and vegetables, to study home making, and to become helpful daughters. Yours with best wishes, Agnes Ellen Harris, State Home Demonstration Agent.

### DRAWING POWER OF AMERICAN DOLLARS

#### Makes an Industrious Worker Even Out of a Mexican

Laredo, Tex., Oct. 2.—As an example of the wonderful drawing powers of the American dollar, it is interesting to note that thousands of half-finished Mexican laborers are pouring into Texas and are being sent to the more interior parts of the state, where they find ready employment upon the farms at picking cotton.

### MR. MILLIGAN BOUGHT A PIANO

Mr. C. Miligan of Anthony, bought a handsome piano today from Mr. Herbert Lattnier, which the White Star Line delivered to him, using its big automobile delivery.

You only pay for what you get, and not for what the other fellow had charged and did not pay for. Little's Shoe Parlor. 27-1f

## WILSON GOING WEST

### Intends to Leave Long Branch this Evening to Speak in Omaha

(Associated Press)

Long Branch, Oct. 3.—President Wilson leaves tonight for Omaha, where he speaks Thursday on his first invasion of the Middle West since the campaign opened. He will return to Long Branch Saturday morning.

### HAS LEASED SUGAR HAMMOCK

#### An Enterprising German Intends to Make a Highly Improved Farm on Its Fertile Acres

The Partridge-Woodrow company has leased the entire Sugar Hammock tract of 1211 acres, near Lowell, to Otto Young, of the Silver Lake Poultry Farm, of Eastlake, who intends to develop his poultry business on a large scale. The lease is for three years, subject to sales contract, which has two years to run.

There are 520 acres of cleared land in the tract, under fence. In leasing the property Mr. Young intends to raise feed that he now has to purchase. He will continue with the pure bred White Leghorns that he has been raising at Silver Lake. He will also do some general farming, and raise eggs and cattle. Mr. Young expects to move to Sugar Hammock about Oct. 15.

Mr. Young, who is a German, expects to interest some of his fellow countrymen in the property. Sugar Hammock is not far from the prosperous German colony at Martin.

Mr. Young is an experienced poultry man. He had a poultry ranch in California before coming to Florida, which he prefers to the former state. He supplies the St. Petersburg market with eggs. He has leased the Sugar Hammock after a thorough investigation, and he is convinced that the soil is all that is claimed for it.

Robert G. Niel, Jr., who has been occupying the house at Sugar Hammock, has purchased 80 acres from the Partridge-Woodrow company. He will move to his new purchase, and Mr. Young will occupy the house.

### UNWRITTEN LAW UPHOLD BY GOVERNOR OF ALABAMA

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 1.—The unwritten law has been given formal approval by Gov. Henderson of this state. John Pogue of Tallapoosa county, who shot and killed a friend, whom he caught in a compromising situation with his wife, and also the wife, was relieved of a prison sentence of six and a half years, and that without pretense of apology for the clemency.

"While there may be technical guilt under the law of those who seek in time of emergency to protect and uphold the sanctity of their home," the governor said in his statement, "it is not to the interest of society in general that one should be punished as this defendant would be under the sentence imposed upon him. Upon the preservation of the purity of the home depends the future strength of our manhood and the reverence due to beautiful womanhood."

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